

40,000 RIVER MEN TO QUIT; TIEUP WIDENS TO-MORROW; AIM IS TO INVOLVE 150,000

Longshoremen, Teamsters and Tidewater Boatmen to Lead Walkouts

**MANY OTHER TRADES
ACT WITHIN 3 DAYS**

**"New York Facing Worst
Industrial Paralysis
in History."**

POLICE PREPARATION FOR DIFFICULT TASK

Business Men Seek Evidence of "Conspiracy" for Dis-

To-morrow morning the sympathy strike ordered by the Central Fed-

longshoremen, teamsters and tidewater boatmen.

An official statement to that effect was issued by the labor union chief.

The strike of the three unions actively concerned with waterfront labor is to be the preliminary stroke of a demonstration which the sympathy strike

orders will be received on Tuesday or Wednesday by 15,000 machinists, 40,000 metal workers and at least 50,000 unionists of the United Hebrew Trades.

Despite rumors that the national chiefs of union labor have assured city officials privately that there will be no general strike of such proportions as to harass or cripple the city's activities.

and James P. Holland, president of the State Federation of Labor, maintain that New York will be facing within a

Fight for Principle of Unionism.

Fitzgerald, Bohm, Holland and their associates insisted last night that union labor generally has proved by its action in the past twenty-four hours that it realizes a debt must be made to suf-

THE SUN was informed last night that the Continental war board has, in each on hand and specific guarantees, a strike

greatly increased by contributions from
carmen's unions all over the country
and from donations made by organized
labor everywhere. In urging a sym-
pathy strike the conference has specif-
ically requested the constant aid of all

Apparently satisfied as to their financial strength, the allied unions will begin at once their outlined plan of working up a boycott of the Interborough, the New York Railway and the Third Ave

many persons from riding on interior-
ough trains or surface cars that the
transit companies will feel the pinch of
decreased receipts very shortly and will
be willing, after a few weeks, to take
some advantage of circumstances.

The conference spent all of yesterday organizing the ground of the forthcoming sympathy strike. Fitzgerald and his associates visited the headquarters of

They devised also a new plan which they figure may tend to irritate the public and so shorten the period of conflict. They are trying to organize a strike of the waiters in the hotels and restaurants.

and restaurants will have to quit business or materially reduce service and that thousands of persons that have been riding on the Interborough and other lines for the purpose mainly of visiting

William B. Joyce, business agent of the bartenders' union, is trying to get the drink mixers and beer drawers to wall out. The Geneva Association, the leading association of waiters, is being asked to join the community strike.

No Class of Labor is Neglected

accomplished their principal purpose in getting the strike recommendation passed from the Central Federated Union to the locals most directly concerned with the operation of the transit lines, the

trades—bakers, bricklayers, metal workers, painters, decorators, butchers, carpenters and joiners, carriage and coach painters, cigar makers, electrical workers, metal polishers, modellers and sculptors, plumbers, plasterers, slushers and

Mass meetings have been planned to stir up strike sentiment among the